

Most Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church

2100 North Davis Drive - Arlington, Texas 76012

Phone Number: (817) 460-2751 FAX: (817) 460-2761

Office Hours: Mon-Thurs: 9:00am-5:00pm Fri: 9:00am-1:00pm

Mass Schedule

Saturday

5:00pm

Sunday

8:00am, 10:00am, 11:30am

Weekdays

Mon, Thurs, & Fri at 8:45am

Weds at 7:00pm

There is a Communion Service on Tuesday at 8:45am

Holy Days

See bulletin for times



7th Sunday in Ordinary Time – February 18, 2007

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturday: 3:30pm – 4:30pm or by appointment.

Sacrament of Baptism:

Baptismal Preparation classes, required by the diocese, are held monthly. Call the Director of Liturgy to register.

Sacrament of Matrimony:

Couples planning marriage need to contact the parish at least six months before scheduling a wedding date. An orientation for Marriage Preparation is held every two months. Call the Director of Liturgy for details.

Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick:

Call the parish office to be put in contact with a priest who will administer the Anointing of the Sick.

Faith Formation and Youth Ministry:

- Children's Religious Ed- (Pre-K - Grade 12); RCIA-Adapted for Children; Sacramental Preparation; and Youth Ministry - Call Becky Lucas, DRE.
- Adult Faith Formation, including RCIA - Call Beverly Corzine, Pastoral Assistant.

Sacrament of Holy Orders and Consecrated Life:

For more information, please call Father Anh Tran at (817) 560-3300, ext. 106, email atran@fwdioc.org.

Parish Staff

Pastor	Father Joe Scantlin
Deacon	Deacon Jim Blackmore
Pastoral Assistant	Beverly Corzine
Business Manager	Annie McCue
Director of Religious Education	Becky Lucas
Director of Liturgy	Michele Grim
Director of Youth Ministry	Thanh "Tom" Nguyen
Notre Dame Apprentice	Brad Leeman
Plant Manager	Buzz Simonini
Secretary	Karen Kunkel
Parents Day Out Program	Kathy Griffin

(817) 860-2688

RCIA

Do you know someone who has expressed an interest in becoming Catholic? Would you like to know more about the Catholic faith? If you are not Catholic, have you thought of becoming a Catholic yourself? If the answer to any of these questions as a "yes" or a possible "maybe," then call Beverly Corzine, Pastoral Assistant at 817-460-2751, ext. 31 for more information about the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA).

RCIA Classes meet Tuesday evenings from 7:00-9:00PM in the Adult Education Room.

Counseling services are now being offered through an inter-parish collaboration between St. Maria Goretti, St. Matthew, St. Vincent de Paul, Most Blessed Sacrament, St. Mary the Virgin, St. Joseph, St. Jude and Catholic Charities Clinical Counseling Program. Services include individual, marital, family, child, and group counseling and will be conveniently offered in the Arlington parishes. Fees are determined on a sliding scale basis. For more information, please contact Catholic Charities at 817-274-2560.



COUNSELING

Welcome to all who are new to our parish. Please sign the Newcomers Book in the foyer of our church. You will be sent a registration form and a Newcomers Information Packet. **AGAIN...WELCOME!!** We are glad you have chosen Most Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church as your parish family.

PARISH SOCIAL MINISTRIES

MBS Couples

The MBS Couples group welcomes married and engaged couples of all ages to join us for social and fellowship activities. Our events are intended to build friendships within the parish family and are intended for adults only. Please join us.

Mar Social gathering & planning meeting. Date, time & sponsor still TBA.

For additional information call Pete and Lauren @ (817) 543-0831, or via email at Peteandlauren@tx.rr.com.



MBS Youth News

MBS Youth would like to **thank the parish for**

your generosity for the Souper Bowl of Caring. We collected **\$336.50** during the Souper Bowl Blitz. Your donations will go to Catholic Charities and The Women's Shelter. **THANK YOU!!!** Youth all over the nation have collected in excess of **\$2,186,823**, which they will donate to charities of their choice.

SERVICE – SERVICE – SERVICE: Calling all youth age 16 and older and adults who would like to help with our Habitat for Humanity service project. We are scheduled to help on February 24th from 8:00 am – 2:00 pm. If you would like to help, please contact Thanh Nguyen, Youth Coordinator.

MBS Families

The MBS Families Group offers Catholic families an opportunity to develop relationships in a social environment with other families who share a common faith. If you are interested in joining the MBS Families, please contact Shirley Gladbach at 817-274-7471.

Easter Egg Hunt Planning Meeting — Saturday, March 10 at 3:00PM

Meet in the parish hall to discuss details of this fun event and to work on signage. The gym will be open for the kids to play!

Elsie Odum Kite Festival — Saturday, March 17 at 10:00AM

Meet in front of the event area at 10:00. \$5 per entry, can be paid on the spot — contests will be categorized by age. Registration and kite building begins at 11:00. Hope to see you there!



Please submit your bulletin items to the Church office by **12PM Thursday**, or e-mail your news to:

MBSBulletinEditor@sbcglobal.net
10 days in advance!

Men's Purity Group

Help is available for men struggling with sexual purity. Visit www.sampg.org for more information.

AROUND THE DIOCESE

Yoga Meditation Retreat

The Catholic Renewal Center in Ft. Worth announces another renewing weekend **YOGA MEDITATION RETREAT** led by Janie Portele, February 23-25, Friday 7PM to Sunday 2PM. The weekend offers easy meditation, deep breathing, deep relation, feel-good, good-for-you gentle YOGA, abundant vegetarian meals, leisurely walks, and simple comfortable lodging. Optional massages will be available from massage therapists for a special price of \$50. No yoga experience is needed. The all-inclusive price is \$184. To register, contact Janie Portele, at 254-967-2384 or yoga@our-town.com.

Ministry with Gay and Lesbian Catholics

The Fort Worth Diocesan Ministry with Lesbian and Gay Catholics, other Sexual Minorities, and their Families will offer an evening of prayer and conversation for Lesbian/Gay persons, their families, and friends on **Thursday, February 22nd** at 7:00PM at the Catholic Renewal Center, 4503 Bridge Street in Ft. Worth. For more information, contact: Father Warren Murphy @ 817- 927-5383, Deacon Richard Griego @ 817- 421-1387, or Dottie & Hank Cummins at 817- 861-5772.

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, February 18

Evangelina Lozano †

Monday, February 19

Linda Cornwell †

Thursday, February 22

George Bayer †

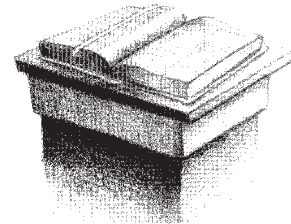
Friday, February 23

Baby Michael Lee †

Saturday, February 24

Harry Hochstein †

Study ^{the Bible} with us



Tuesday Morning Bible Study

Tuesday Morning Bible Study: 9:15am-10:30am, is a group of MBS parishioners that gather almost every week to break open the Lectionary readings in preparation for our Sunday Liturgy. Printed information is available from the church office.

Sunday Adult Bible Study

Join Deacon Jim Blackmore for an adult Bible study class after 8:00AM Mass. This informative study and discussion is becoming popular. So join us every Sunday from 9:05-9:50AM in the Overflow Room. You won't want to miss it.

Catholic Scripture Study

This year we will study the Gospel of Matthew in 28 lessons from Sept. through April. Classes meet on Wednesdays 7:30PM-9:00PM or on Thursdays 9:45AM-11:15AM. Visit www.mostblessedsacrament.org for more info.

Faith and Fiction

February's book is *The Known World*, by Edward P. Jones. Join us on February 28th at 10AM or March 1st at 7PM in Classroom #1 to meet with friends and engage in conversations on Spirituality and Imagination. For other information about Faith and Fiction, contact Beverly Corzine, Pastoral Assistant or Brad Leeman, Notre Dame Apprentice at 817-460-2751.

CALENDAR

Hall = Parish Hall **C** = Classroom **FLC** = Family Life Center
Music = Music Room **Cha** = Chapel **OF** = Overflow
Sanc = Sanctuary **Conf** = Conference Room **YC** = Youth Center
Ed = Education Center **CLW** = Children's Liturgy of the Word

Sunday, February 18

8:00AM	Mass	Sanc
9:05AM	Adult Bible Study	OF
10:00AM	Mass/CLW	Sanc
11:30AM	Mass	Sanc
12:30PM	Youth Choir	Music

Monday, February 19

8:45AM	Mass	Cha
6:30PM	Girl Scouts #1610	C1
7:00PM	Boy Scouts #545	Hall

Tuesday, February 20

8:45AM	Communion Service	Cha
9:15AM	Bible Study	Ed
6:30PM	Cub Scout Den #5	C2
7:00PM	RCIA	Ed
7:00PM	Prayer Shawl Ministry	C12
7:00PM	Rosary	Cha

Wednesday, February 21 Ash Wednesday

9:30AM	Prayer Shawl Ministry	C12
10:00AM	Young at Heart	Ed
12:00PM	Word Service (with Ashes)	Sanc
3:30PM	Brownie Troop	C1
5:30PM	Word Service (with Ashes)	Sanc
6:00PM	Youth	YC/FLC
6:30PM	St. Cecilia Guild	C12
6:45PM	RE Sacramental Prep	C8-11/Hall
7:00PM	Mass (with Ashes)	Cha
7:30PM	IRPS	Ed
7:30PM	Catholic Scripture Study	C2-3

Thursday, February 22

8:45AM	Mass	Cha
9:30AM	IRPS	Ed
9:45AM	Catholic Scripture study	C2
6:30PM	Tone Choir	Music
7:30PM	MBS Friendship Prayer Group	C7
7:45PM	Adult Choir	Music

Friday, February 23

8:45AM	Mass	Cha
7:00PM	Stations of the Cross	Sanc
7:30PM	Lenten Meal	Hall

Saturday, February 24

9:00AM	RCIA Adapted for Children	Ed
1:00PM	Keeping Children Safe	Ed
3:45PM	Guitar Choir	Music
5:00PM	Mass	Sanc



MBS Adult Formation Lenten Programs

The first of our Lenten four-part video/discussion sessions "I Believe - We Believe" will be presented on Monday, February 26, from 7 to 8:30 PM in the Adult Education Center. Don't forget to register for the MBS "Lenten Relationship Series for Couples" to be held on the Saturday evenings of March 27 and 24. Brochures are available on the tables as you leave Mass.

MBS Facilities

Please call or come by the Church office to fill out a **ROOM REQUEST FORM** to schedule any activity requiring the use of a room. The ROOM REQUEST FORM MUST BE SUBMITTED AT LEAST **10 DAYS IN ADVANCE**. No sales or solicitations of any kind should be done without prior approval.

Thank you for your cooperation.



Noon

Word Service & Distribution of Ashes

5:30PM

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7:00PM

Mass & Distribution of Ashes

The church office will be closed on Monday, February 19th in observance of Presidents' Day.

Soup Supper!

Please join the St. Cecilia's Guild Friday, February 23, after Stations of the Cross for an evening of fun and good food. The supper includes plenty of soups for you to sample, breads, beverages, and desserts. See you in the parish hall at 7:30PM this **FRIDAY!**

Prayer Shawl Ministry

The next meetings of the Prayer Shawl Ministry will be on Tuesday, February 20th at 7:00PM in Classroom 12 for the evening group and on Wednesday, February 21st at 9:30AM in Classroom 12 for the morning group.



Socks, Underwear, & T-shirt Drive

The Community Service Committee is having its annual drive for socks and underwear. Please note that teachers have expressed a need for plain, white t-shirts, also.

Girls: underwear sizes 4, 6, 8, 10

socks: small and large

t-shirts: sizes 10 to 16

Boys: underwear sizes 4, 6, 8, 10, 12

socks: small and large

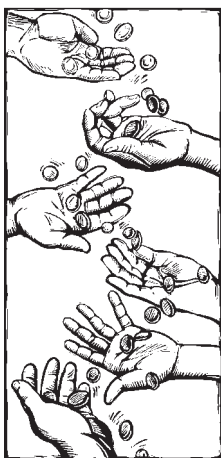
t-shirts: all sizes

Please drop off your donations, through the month of February, in the wooden boxes located inside the North Doors of the Church. Thank you for your support!

Keeping Children Safe Sessions

What Are They? Why Should I Attend?

All volunteers who have contact with children, youth, or vulnerable adults are **required** to attend a 3-hour session on *Keeping Children, Youth and Vulnerable Adults Safe* once every three (3) years. This is mandated by the Diocese of Fort Worth and is designed to help insure the safety of children and young people. The sessions are held at various parishes throughout the diocese and are offered in both English and Spanish. In order for a group to reserve a room at MBS for activities involving children, all adults involved must complete the *Keeping Children, Youth, and Vulnerable Adults Safe* program. More information is available on the diocesan web site at www.fwdioc.org, under the section "Abuse Prevention and Healing." The next Keeping Children Safe session at MBS will be held on Saturday, February 24th from 1:00PM-4:45PM in the Adult Education Center. For more information or to sign up for this session, please contact Becky Lucas, Director of Religious Education, at 817-460-2751.



**GIVE
AND
IT
WILL
BE
GIVEN
TO
YOU**

Lk 6:38

Monday • February 19

Weekday

Sir 1:1-10/Mk 9:14-29

Tuesday • February 20

Weekday

Sir 2:1-11/Mk 9:30-37

Wednesday • February 21

Ash Wednesday

Jl 2:12-18/ 2 Cor 5:20—6:2

Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

Thursday • February 22

Chair of Saint Peter, apostle

1 Pt 5:1-4/Mt 16:13-19

Friday • February 23

Lenten Weekday

Is 58:1-9a/Mt 9:14-15

Saturday • February 24

Lenten Weekday

Is 58:9b-14/Lk 5:27-32

Sunday • February 25

First Sunday of Lent

Dt 26:4-10/Rom 10:8-13/Lk 4:1-13

**Readings
For the Week**

Lenten Vocational Discernment Program

Gentlemen: Have you had thoughts that the Religious Life may just be your vocation? Many men have been called, but few have heard that call. Let us help you. The Vocations Office of the Diocese of Ft. Worth, with the endorsement of Bishop Vann, is having a Discernment Program during Lent.

sponsored by

**Bishop Kevin Vann
and**

The Serrans of the Diocese of Ft. Worth

When: Monday night beginning February 19

Where: St. Patrick's Cathedral
1206 Throckmorton St.
Ft. Worth, Texas

Cost: None

Schedule: 6:00 Eucharistic Adoration
Exposition and Reflection on Christ
Evening Prayer
7:00 Benediction
7:45 Presentation by Priests of the Diocese of Ft. Worth
8:30 Evening Supper and Social
9:00 Closing Prayer and Blessing

For more information, please go to the Ft. Worth Diocese Website on Religious Vocations at <http://www.fwdioc.org>.

Also, please RSVP for meal purposes to Father Kyle Walterscheid at 817-366-0439 or padrekyle@gmail.com.

Lenten Meals at MBS

Please join us Friday nights during Lent for dinner prepared St. Bernadette's Guild, St. Cecilia's Guild, the Knights of Columbus or our own MBS Youth. Dinner will be served in the Parish Hall immediately following Stations of the Cross (at around 7:30PM.) The following meals are planned for the Fridays during Lent:



February 23	St. Cecilia's Guild	<i>Soups Extravaganza</i>
		Proceeds go to MBS and Community Charities
March 2	MBS Youth	<i>TBD</i>
		Proceeds go to Youth Ministries Mission Trip
March 9	St. Bernadette Guild	<i>Casseroles, Pastas and Salads</i>
		Proceeds goes to Habitat for Humanity
March 16	Knights of Columbus	<i>Spaghetti and Salad Dinner</i>
		Proceeds go to Deaf Ministries
March 23	Knights of Columbus	<i>Fish Fillet Dinner</i>
		Proceeds go to Priest and Seminarian Fund
March 30	Knights of Columbus	<i>Chowder and Salad Dinner</i>
		Proceeds go to Wheelchair Foundation